Massachusetts Division of Insurance Report of Membership

in "CLOSED" Nongroup Health Insurance Plans ¹ as of December 31, 1999

MASSACHUSETTS NONGROUP CLOSED PLANS	Barnstable	Berkshire	Bristol	Dukes	Essex	Franklin	Hampden	Hampshire	Middlesex	Nantucket	Norfolk	Plymouth	Suffolk	Worcester	TOTAL
COVERED LIVES BY COUNTY	Covered Lives														
(WITH 1999 MEMBERSHIP ACCORDING TO 1999 REPORTS)	at End of Year														
1 Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Massachusetts, Inc.	739	168	459	126	1,287	66	311	126	3,146	92	1,384	605	915	438	9,862
2 Commercial Carriers	936	184	434	237	774	132	448	242	1,404	122	485	423	292	403	6,516
3 Health Maintenance Organizations	33	7	76	1	157	5	106	27	812	0	264	74	142	2,234	3,938
TOTALS:	1,708	359	969	364	2,218	203	865	395	5,362	214	2,133	1,102	1,349	3,075	20,316
2000 Massachusetts Population ²	222,230	134,953	534,678	14,987	723,419	71,535	456,228	152,251	1,465,396	9,520	650,308	472,822	689,807	750,963	6,349,097
2000 Market Penetration Rate ³	0.8%	0.3%	0.2%	2.4%	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%	2.2%	0.3%	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%	0.3%

¹ According to M.G.L. c. 176M §1 a "closed plan" is defined as a "nongroup health plan issued by a carrier to a natural person for said person, as well as any covered dependents, prior to the first day of the first open enrollment period" (October 1, 1997).

² 2000 Population Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000 Redistricting Data (P.L. 94-171) Summary File, Table PL1 - March 21, 2001.